

In The Specification

Please replace paragraph [0010] and [0042] of the specification with the following amended paragraphs:

[0010] a torque limiting timing device, configured to shut off fluid flow to said motor at a predetermined time wherein the torque limiting timing device is in fluid communication with the pressure regulator..

[0042] The pressure of the compressible fluid at a given time in the reservoir 400 depends, in the first instance, on the rate of flow into the reservoir 400. The rate of flow is controlled by a metering device 300 that in several embodiments acts as the torque limiting timing device by being in fluid communication with the pressure regulator. The metering device 300 may be either fixed or user-adjustable. For example, the metering device 300 may be a fixed orifice, as depicted in FIG. 5, which will control the rate of flow to a fixed, pre-determined amount depending on the attributes (e.g., size, diameter, configuration, material, etc.) of the fixed orifice 300. In this type of embodiment, the user cannot adjust the rate of flow of the metering device 300. Alternatively, the metering device 300 may be a device which allows for the user to adjust and to define, perhaps within certain parameters, the rate of flow. One embodiment of a metering device 300 which allows for user adjustment is a needle valve 300 (See e.g., FIGS. 1B, 1C, and 2). The needle valve 300 comprises a needle valve seat 304 within a third channel 206, a needle valve body 302, and a user-accessible extension of the needle valve 306. The needle valve seat 304 comprises a channel portion tapered concentric to the needle valve body 302, a shaft bearing to hold the shaft of the

needle valve body 302, and a seal to prevent leakage through the shaft bearing. The third channel is the reservoir input channel. In an embodiment, the threaded extension 306 is screwed into a threaded portion 308 of the third channel 206. In an alternate embodiment, the extension 306 is provided with a locking mechanism, for example: a set screw, to prevent vibrations caused by operating the tool to change the setting. The user selects the amount of time between the introduction of compressible fluid into port 250 (as by squeezing the trigger 60 (FIG. 1A)), and the closing of the poppit valve 100 by adjusting the needle valve 300. The higher the rate of flow, the faster the reservoir 400 reaches a pressure sufficient to close the shut-off valve 100.